

BARTLETT HIGH SCHOOL GENERAL BOOSTER CLUB MEETING
SEPTEMBER 11, 2001

The meeting was called to order by Ex-President Ken Kaczynski at 7:10 P.M. There were 25 officers, directors and guests present.

The minutes of the July and August meetings were approved as submitted.

The treasurer's report was approved as submitted. Treasurer Tom Connor explained that the Treasurer's Report will be as of the last day of the previous month. He also distributed the new procedures for obtaining checks and making deposits. The question was raised about deductions for the ice machine. Tom stated that the club has not received the bill, so the deductions have not been made.

Representatives from "Time of Your Life Scrapbooks" made a presentation about their product as a possible fundraising idea. The scrapbooks cost \$20.00 and they suggest selling for \$25-30. This includes 3 sections which the individual buyer chooses. Additional sections may be purchased. The club indicated that we would discuss this in the general officers meeting.

COMMITTEES:

Concession: Diane indicated that she had been advised that we can no longer store pop on the floor. Therefore we need to find someplace or something to store pop so that it can be bought in quantity. Ken Kaczynski stated that he would check this out and that we would work something out. Diane also wanted to advise groups that she will only be making one trip to Sam's per week. Therefore groups intending to have concession need to let her know so that she can buy enough for all concessions.

Tom Rymarz (Football Booster Director) raised the question of compensation for concessions. He feels that the Booster Club costs should be based on actual cost of goods rather than a percentage off the top. Much discussion occur. Due to the fact that the concession revenues are part of the by-laws, it was agreed to form a Ways and Means Committee to review the concession procedures and report back to the club. Tom Connor will chair that committee. Members include: Dennis Kowalski, Tom Rymarz, Mike Smith, Ed Stade, and Jim Watt.

Apparel: We sold over \$1800 worth of merchandise at the first football game. Sales are going well. The Special Education students will again be selling the apparel at the school once a month during the lunch periods.

ACTIVITIES:

Poms: Requested approval to run concession at the BGYF Cheer Competition at EHS. Approval was given pending approval of EHS/BHS.

Girls Volleyball: Rescheduled car wash to 9/30 at WalMart. Request approval to hold a garage sale on October 26-27. Approved.

Swimming: Request approval to sell Poinsettias. The flowers will be pre-ordered. Approved. Request approval to hold bake sales at 2 home swim meets due to the fact that the concession stand is too far away from the pool. Approved.

Boys Track: Request approval for Barnes and Noble Fundraiser in March. Approved.

Soccer and Dance: Reminded everyone of their Dominicks Shop and Share and distributed coupons.

Fine Arts: Reminded everyone to buy tickets for the Outback Dinner on September 19th

Boys Basketball: They received a request from the Park District with regards to the Feeder Tournament. The Park District has asked if the Boosters can have cash available to pay the referees and then the Park District will reimburse the Basketball Boosters the amount that is paid out. In the past there has been trouble with referees not showing up so some refs have to ref more games and the checks that the Park District cut in advance are then for the wrong amount. Approved. They were also looking to see if we had a supply of T-shirts that could be thrown out to fans during the tournament. They were advised that we no longer have those T-shirts.

NEW BUSINESS:

Silvia announced that we had a new business member that donated \$1000.00 to the Booster Club. Thank you to Senior Flexonics and to Ed Stade for working to obtain that donation.

Bartlett Hockey Club is investigating the possibility of joining the Booster Club. They are currently working with the Athletic Department, IHSA, etc. to see what they need to do.

AD Office advised spectators that at the Elgin and Larkin football games that you cannot enter Memorial Field from Irving. Fans will need to come in off Maroon Drive.

We also will be discussing the need to change the meeting date. Dan Kallenbach is unable to come on Wednesday nights and it is very difficult to get someone else from the Department to attend. We will continue discussion.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

Jeri Ridenour